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Thursday, January 5th, 1928

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We ship Poultry  
for any one at any  
time.

## The Hub

We are agents for  
a reliable Jeweller.  
Leave your watch  
repairs here.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

#### Life Insurance For Children

IS one of the best investments today, and is one of the policies most talked of by Assurance Companies. There is another plan coming to the front and that is The CHILD'S SAVINGS PLAN. Most of you, will receive this week, an announcement regarding the workings of this wonderful system. We are sure it will meet with your approval and gain your support.

There will be a representative of this system at our store, next Monday. We will be glad to have all the parents in to meet this lady who will go into the details of the system.

Monday, January 9th, is the date  
**IT TEACHES THRIFT AND ECONOMY**

ROBIN FLOUR  
IS BETTER

*J. R. Miller*

## Half-Price Clearance Sale

### Men's Winter Overcoats

Men's Blue Chinchilla Overcoats. Regular \$22.00. Half price sale..... \$11.00

Men's Belgium Blue Overcoats, with chamois lining. Regular \$39.00. Clearing at only..... \$19.50

Men's Tweed Overcoats. Regular \$32.00. Half price sale at..... \$16.00

Several of these bargains are on display in our north window.

Men's Blue Chinchilla and Tweed Overcoats. Regular \$35.00. Half Price Sale for..... \$17.50

Ask to see those new fadeless "Blueses" Blue and Grey Suits at..... \$35.00

Men's Tweed Overcoat's. Regular price is \$38.00. Going in the Half price sale for..... \$19.00

Values Unequalled  
ANYWHERE

**J. V. BERSCHT**

"Where Quality and Price Meet"

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**WATCHES AND ALL KINDS OF WORK  
IN JEWELRY CLEANED AND  
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Many Pairs of skates and skating shoes will be sold at greatly reduced prices

#### SECONDHAND BARGAINS

Child's Coat, complete, \$7.00; Settee and chairs, \$10; a good selection of player piano rolls, at 50c each. Booker Heater in perfect working condition, \$10.00

**W. H. Chamberlin**

The meat of fifty buffalo carcasses replace the food supply, which was will be sliced and dried for shipment diminished by the reduction of the to the Eskimos in the extreme north herds of caribou in certain hunting them part of the Dominion to help grounds.

### Huge Gathering

#### Assembles at Olds.

At the official opening of the new wing of the School of Agriculture at Olds, on Tuesday, inspiring and stirring addresses were given by several prominent people of the province and the district.

Among the most noteworthy was the address given by Premier Brownlee, who gave a splendid speech that was very much to the point, emphasizing, among other matters, the enormous value to the province and to Canada in general of the fine work that the schools of agriculture were doing for Alberta and the other provinces of Canada.

He drew a moving picture of the splendid future facing the Peace River country, saying that in his opinion, the production of that district, alone, would far more than equal the present production of the whole province.

In tracing the rapid growth in production down through the years he drew a striking parallel from the growing of 50,000,000 bushels in 1911, to the present huge aggregate of nearly 175,000,000 and moved an enthusiastic audience to a still higher pitch by pointing out the fact that Alberta is now the most favoured of provinces in this matter of agricultural progress, this province will be the outstanding part of North America if the anticipated increase of the Peace River country is coupled with the huge advance that is certain to be produced by the other parts of Alberta.

The Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture, gave the audience a vivid word picture of the work being done by the Agricultural Schools in the province. He stressed in particular the splendid work of the school at Olds, and howed the high value received, in the making of better farming methods for the amount of money expended. Interspersing his speech with many interesting and amusing anecdotes, he displayed a rare appreciation of the value of the district, that in itself alone, showed the great interest he holds for the work being done for agriculture in this vicinity. He left a deep and lasting impression on his audience for the sterling work education he is so energetically carrying on.

### Wheat Pool

#### Gets High

#### Commendation

A high tribute to the influence of the Canadian Wheat Pool on world prices, during the past year, is given in a review of the world wheat situation in 1926-27, by the Food Research Institute of Stanford University, California. The report gives statistics proving that the United States, Canadian and French crops were greatly underestimated and that the world crop of 1926 was the largest ever harvested, except for that of 1915. "Despite the large world crops," the review states, "world prices were not so low as in 1923-24. The distribution of crops between exporting and importing countries, growing populations and the growing demand for white bread, a general upbuilding of stocks, economic recovery in Europe and strong holding by exporters—notably the Canadian Pool—helped to maintain prices."

## Stock Reducing Bargains

Keep your eyes on our specials during the month of January. We have some lines that must move. **PRICE IS NO OBJECT!!!!**

### Ladies' Shoes

**MUST BE SOLD. TO SEE THEM IS TO BUY THEM.**

### Children's Shoes

**YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS THIS GREAT SAVING**

### Fancy Cotton Blankets

**GREATLY REDUCED. NOW AT \$2.95**

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**THROW AWAY YOUR OLD ONES. BOYS' AND GIRLS' AT \$2.95 A PAIR**

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### North End Lumber Yard,

## Coal is Cash

**ALL COAL BILLS accruing during the month, are due and payable on the first of the following month.**

S. G. WATT,  
Manager.

## Time is Money When Plowing Starts

**Get Your Harness Repaired and  
Cleaned**

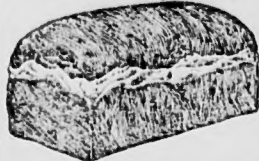
*Leather in poor condition breaks up in many places and many an old set of harness will save you buying a new one, when properly repaired and oiled up.*

*What better value can you hope to get than by making old harness give double service? Get your harness work done now—before the rush season starts in!!*

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BREAD  
WITHROYAL  
YEAST  
CAKESThe standard  
of Quality  
for over 50 yearsWORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Production of automobiles in Canada during November numbered 6,617 cars. This output was the lowest for any month this year.

The Canadian Government will seek authority at the coming session of parliament for the purchase of two new modern destroyers to be delivered within three years.

The red flag of Soviet Russia was lowered on the former Soviet consulate at Shanghai, Dec. 24, and Soviet activities in Nationalist China ended officially.

Direct all-Canada telephone communication will be established between Vancouver and Calgary next spring by the British Columbia Telephone Company and the Alberta Government system.

At least 4,000,000 in the province of Shantung and part of Chihli are facing extreme famine, which must be expected to become more severe as winter progresses, a committee of observers report.

A statement has been received from Washington, D.C., that the United States patent office has issued a patent to James Fleming, of Mountain-side, Minn., for a new type of road machine.

## Woman's Wisdom

Kingston, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is such a great help to nature in motherhood, I marvel that every prospective mother does not take it. I had two children before I knew that there was such a tonic. My former experiences caused me dread. By chance I read that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription quieted the nerves and strengthened the body of the expectant mother and I proved that statement to be true, also I had comparatively no suffering and did not lose any of my strength or vitality. My baby is now 2 years old and weighs 30 lbs., is the picture of health."—Mrs. Olive Brown, 12 Markland St.

Liquid or tablets at the drug store. Write Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice.

## Tunnels Under Paris

Under the heart of Paris are mysterious caverns and tunnels, long forgotten even by historians, until the other day when workmen were excavating for a new hotel. The caverns once were stone quarries and the openings long since have been filled up. The new hotel will use one of them for its wine cellar.

The Best Laxative  
He Ever Tried

Mr. Wm. Towner, New York, writes: "Never have I felt better in my life. Your purely vegetable Laxative Pills keep my bowels active; headaches and indigestion never bother me now. I enjoy my sleep and get up refreshed, with a clear head ready for a day's work."

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS  
Sold all druggists 25c and 75c red pkg.

W. N. U. 1714

## Some Tips For Inventors

Few Of Things Needed Are Included  
In List

New challenges to inventive genius are the latest entries in the "What's Wanted" book maintained by the Institute of Patentees in London, in which suggestions for needed inventions submitted by the public are filed.

An unbreakable shoe lace, a mechanical bricklayer, a folding umbrella that can be carried in the pocket—these are some of the devices laymen want. Particularly in demand are inventions that will make a dwelling more comfortable to live in, and ease the housewife's tasks. These are some of them:

Vacuum cleaners for the chimneys. A way to prevent water in house pipes from freezing.

Apparatus to remove deadly carbon monoxide and unwanted carbon dioxide gas from living room air.

Another machine to fill the air with health-giving oxygen at low cost. Windows of unbreakable, clear flexible glass.

A means of cleaning windows by machinery.

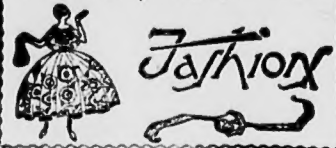
A better way of fastening carpets than by the use of tacks.

Non-slippery floor polish.

Permanent paint for gas stoves.

A way to uncork bottles without destroying the corks by a cork-screw.

## Winnipeg Newspaper Union

A Daytime Frock Of Smart  
Distinction

The discriminating miss or small woman will find this an unusually smart and becoming frock. Of special interest is the revers, which may be of matching or contrasting material, and the set-in pocket placed at the upper left and lower right side. The skirt has two box-plaques in front, and is joined to the bodice, while the back is in one piece, and the long sleeves have shaped cuffs trimmed with buttons. No. 1639 is in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 (36 bust) requires 2 1/2 yards 39-inch or 2 1/2 yards 54-inch material. If the revers is made of contrasting material, 1/2 yard additional 39-inch (cut crosswise) is required. Price 20 cents the pattern.

Many styles of smart apparel may be found in our new Fashion Book. Our designers originate their patterns in the heart of the style centres and their creations are those of tested popularity, brought within the means of the average woman. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

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Pattern No. .... Size .....

Name .....

Town .....

## Took No Chances

When King Fuad, of Egypt, visited Europe recently, he brought a large retinue of household officials. Among them were a chamberlain, a food taster, a chemist for analysing the food, a barber, a valet, and three butlers.

A cargo of 3,000,000 feet of spruce lumber was recently sent from Russia to Buenos Aires, Argentina.



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When exposed to weather or disease, give SPONN'S Disinfectant Compound. For 25 years the standard remedy for Diphtheria, Strangles, Influenza, Pink Eye, Catarrhal Fever, Shipping Fever, Coughs and Colds. Give to sick and those exposed. Give SPONN'S for Diphtheria, Poultry Cholera, and all other diseases. Sold in two sizes at drug stores. Write for free booklet.  
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## Longevity Of Germs

Found Alive And Dead After Being  
In Sealed Tube 26 years

Experiments carried out by Sir William Simpson, the expert on tropical diseases, to test the longevity of germs, have had remarkable results. Twenty-six years ago Sir William placed in a test tube some germs taken from a South African patient who was suffering from one of the most deadly of tropical diseases. The tube was sealed.

Recently, Sir William opened the test tube. He was astonished to find that the germs were still alive and as deadly as ever.

A guinea pig which was inoculated with them died soon afterwards.

The only food the germs had during their long imprisonment was a kind of jelly called "Agar," which was put in the test tube with the germs 26 years ago.

For Both House and Stable.—There is a good deal of similarity, physically speaking, between human beings and the lower animals. Both are subject to many ailments arising from inflammation and to all manner of cuts and bruises. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is an entirely reliable remedy for such ailments and mishaps in both human beings and the lower orders of animals.

## When the Worm Turned

Judge—"Why do you want a divorce?"

Fair Plaintiff—"My husband is a fiend in human form. He thinks nothing of knocking me down or pushing me down stairs. He often throws boiling water on me, threw me out of the window twice, and once—Judge, I can stand other things, but not this—once he wiped his hands on one of my guest towels."

For Rheumatic Pains.—The pains and aches of Sciatica and Rheumatism should be treated with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The soothing and healing properties of this famous remedy have been demonstrated for fifty years. Use it also for inflammatory pains, cuts, scratches, bruises and sprains, either in human beings or the lower animals.

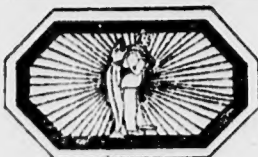
## Tailor For Indians

When Lo, the poor Indian, wants a stylish war bonnet or a fancy headed vest, the chances are that he'll buy them from a white man. Robert F. Backus, of Florence, Cal., who makes a hobby of fashioning Indian garments, has filled hundreds of orders from various western tribes. Last summer he supplied the materials for the headdress which was presented to President Coolidge in the Black Hills. It was valued at \$2,500.

## The King of Pains—Minard's Liniment

When building a grandstand engineers must make allowance for "the weight of excitement" or the additional strain given when excited spectators jump up and down.

The greater the difficulty the more glory there is in surmounting it.



## LESSON No. 16

Question: Why do growing children, particularly girls, need emulsified cod-liver oil?

Answer: Growing children, and particularly girls, need vitamin-rich nourishment to help them through critical stages of extreme tax on their strength.

Pleasantly flavored, easy to take, children like

SCOTT'S EMULSION

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 8

## JESUS AND THE SKIN

Golden Text: "He hath done all things well; He maketh even the deaf to hear, and the dumb to speak."—Mark 7:37.

Lesson: Mark 1:21-45.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 103:1-8.

## Explanations and Comments

I. The Authority Of Jesus As A Teacher, verses 21, 22.—In New Testament times sacrifices were offered only in the temple at Jerusalem, but every town and village had its synagogue for worship, an institution which evidently had its origin during the Babylonian captivity. On a certain Sabbath day Jesus taught in the synagogue at Capernaum (built by the centurion whose faith Jesus commended, Luke 7). In the synagogue worship, after the recitation of the "Schema" (Deut. 6:4-9; 11:13-21), and the offering of prayer, a lesson was read from the Law (Pentateuch), and another one from the Prophets. It was customary for the chief ruler of the synagogue, who had charge of the services, to ask a distinguished visitor to read and explain the lessons. Upon this occasion he called upon Jesus for this service.

As the congregation listened to Jesus they were amazed at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes. The scribes constantly cited some well-known rabbi as authority for their teaching; Jesus said, "Verily verily, I say unto thee, 'We speak that which we know, and bear witness of that which we have seen.'" John 2:11. As has been well said, there was no "perhaps" in the teaching of Jesus. Recall the phrase often repeated in the Sermon on the Mount, "I say unto you." The highest praise for a scribe was that he resembled a cemented cistern which lost no drop of water put into it. He was bound never to teach otherwise than as he had been taught. Christ as a teacher was not a cistern, but a spring, clear, abundant and perennial.

"Men crave to know; they want certitude; they long to be sure. And to them Christ presents Himself as the Truth, God's Everlasting Yea, the answer to all their questioning."—J. D. Jones.

Whether the corn be of old or new growth, it must yield to Holloway's Corn Remover.

## Farmers Lose Money.

Better Handling Of Cream Would Reduce Losses

Saskatchewan farmers lost considerably more than \$50,000 during the year ended October 31 as a result of cream being graded down for various causes, according to Percy E. Reed, dairy commissioner for Saskatchewan, broadcasting a lecture under the auspices of the Saskatchewan Farmer Radio Farm School.

Better handling methods would have saved a good deal of this loss, Mr. Reed declared. During the period under review there were 83,093 cans of cream graded No. 2 or "off" because of high acidity or the presence of other "undesirable foreign flavors." This, however, only provided for 13.5 per cent. of the total output, the remaining 86.5 per cent. grading No. 1 or better.

Of the total amount graded down 15.6 per cent., or 12,044 cans, was put down because of bad flavors in the cream and French weed, or stink weed as it is more popularly known, was largely responsible for this.

Many mothers have reason to bless Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because it has relieved the little ones of suffering and made them healthy.

## Credit Goes To Egyptians

Solved Problem Of Measuring Earth's Surface In 1800 B.C.

Russian scientists have just completed the study of what is said to be one of the most remarkable Egyptian parchments in history.

The parchment has been decided after years of painstaking labor by Professors B. B. Turaleff and Sturve, noted orientologists. The document is said to shed new light on the mathematical studies of the ancient Egyptians, establishing the earth's surface as well as the globe was solved by the Egyptians in 1800 B.C., whereas the solution of this problem heretofore has been attributed to Archimedes, who lived in the third century, B.C.

Some people make a specialty of exchanging their brass for other people's gold.

For frostbite use Minard's Liniment.

More than half the people in the world live in Asia, on less than one-fourth of the earth's surface.



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Zam-Buk provides an ever-ready and reliable first-aid for injuries. It is also unequalled as a soothing, speedy remedy for obstinate and deep-seated skin disease, poisoned wounds, ulcers, piles, etc.

Within every box of Zam-Buk are stored the most valuable healing, soothing and antiseptic properties known to Science. Its unique herbal composition and its absolute freedom from animal fats and mineral drugs make Zam-Buk the safest and best dressing for skin troubles of all kinds.

Get a 50c box of this great herbal healer from your druggist or dealer today, or ask Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, to mail FREE TRIAL SAMPLE.

Nothing Like  
**Zam-Buk**  
FOR  
THE SKIN

## The Destruction Of Wolves

As a result of the efforts of the North West Territories and Yukon Branch of the Department of the Interior, Canada, 680 wolves were destroyed during the last recorded fiscal year by natives and white men.

## Hoarse?

Rub throat and chest thoroughly with Minard's Liniment. Quick relief assured.

**MINARD'S**  
"KING OF PAIN"  
LINIMENT

The Jordan has been accounted the most crooked stream in the world. But it cannot compare with White River, Arkansas, which travels 1,200 miles in traversing a distance of 50 miles.

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Wanted, Ladies anywhere, to address field and mail circulars at home. Enclose stamp for particulars. HOME MANFG. CO., TORONTO 3.

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## Sorema Remedies Get Results

Sorema Ointment penetrates inner layers of the skin, reaching germs of all skin diseases. Hence its gratifying results in Eczema, Psoriasis, etc. Price \$1.

Sorema Blood Alterative Tablets, powerful, effective, non-purifying blood purifiers. Price 75c for 15-day treatment. Sorema Ltd., Dept. A114, Winnipeg.

**CONSTIPATION DEAFNESS**  
**ARTHRITIS KIDNEY DISEASES**  
and Many Other Chronic Diseases  
Have Been Cured [By Natural Methods] [Regular M.D.s in Attendance]  
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**A BROKEN DOWN SYSTEM.**  
This is a condition for dis ease to which doctors give many names, but which few of them really understand. It is simply weakness, a break down, as it were, of the vital forces that sustain the system. No matter what may be its causes (they are almost numberless), its symptoms are much the same; the more prominent being sleeplessness, sense of prostration or weariness, depression of spirits and want of energy for all the ordinary affairs of life. Now, what a tonic is absolutely essential in all such cases is increased vitality, vigor, vital strength and energy to throw off these morbid feelings, and as night succeeds the day this may be more certainly secured by a course of **THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY, THERAPY No. 3** than by any other known combination. Specially as it is taken in accordance with the directions accompanying it, without the least risk of being overdone, it is the **EXPIRING LAMP OF LIFE LIGHTED UP AGAIN.**

and a new existence imparted in place of what has so lately seemed worn-out, dead and valueless. This wonderful medicine is suitable for all ages, constitutions and conditions. In either sex; and is so difficult to imagine a disease or ailment for which it is not a cure, that it is a wonder that it is not more widely spread. A numerous class of human ailments, whose main feature is weakness, that will not be speedily and permanently overcome by the more conservative means, which is destined to restore to health everything that has been lost. It is for this reason that it is a wonder that it is not more widely spread. A numerous class of human ailments, whose main feature is weakness, that will not be speedily and permanently overcome by the more conservative means, which is destined to restore to health everything that has been lost. It is for this reason that it is a wonder that it is not more widely spread. 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Excess acid is the common cause of indigestion. It results in pain and sourness about two hours after eating. The quick corrective is an alkali which neutralizes acid. The best corrective is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has remained standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention.

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## PAINTED FIRES

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### CHAPTER XV.—Continued

The men gasped. Wasn't Jack Doran "the queer devil to ask a girl right out before every one?"

"Will you marry me, Helmi, today?" he repeated.

Helmi simply nodded.

A shout of applause broke from the men, in which Bill Larsen did not join. He suddenly halted Mrs. McMann for her interfering ways; she'd made nice hash of things.

Mrs. McMann's face grew dark; she had been beaten, right here in her own house. Worse still, she stood to lose the best girl she had ever had. Jack Doran, with his big feeling ways, would never let his wife sling hash to miners. Mrs. McMann caught her breath on the intake.

"Well, at least you might have given us a little warning. What's all the rush about, I'd like to know. It don't look well—that's all I have to say."

Mrs. McMann resented youth more and more as she grew older. The slowness and agility of Helmi reproached her ponderous bulk, and now, looking at the boy and girl, so clean, like and wholesome, who stood before her, she felt she hated both of them. They seemed to defy her; "crazy young fools—what did they know about life?" She hoped.

She blew her breath on her lips as if they needed to be cooled.

### CHAPTER XVI.

That afternoon Helmi and Jack drove to Bannerman, eight miles away, to find someone to marry them. Helmi wore the black silk dress which she had worn on the train with the lace collar, fastening the latter with

## YOUNG WOMEN SUFFER MOST

These Two Found Relief by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.—"I have been teaching for three years, and at the end of the year I always feel tired and have no appetite. I was a awful sick each month, too, having pains in my back until sometimes I was obliged to stop working. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I heard many women telling how good it was so I thought it would help me. And it did. Now I take six bottles every year and recommend it to others."—DONALDA FANTEUX, Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.

### "Unable to Work"

Canning, Nova Scotia.—"I had irregular periods and great suffering at those times, the pains causing vomiting and fainting. I was teaching school and often for some hours I would be unable to attend to my work. Through an advertisement in the papers I knew of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has been of great benefit to me, the troubles being completely relieved."—LAURA J. EATON, Canning, King's County, Nova Scotia.

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as she turned and looked into his. "I am not afraid," she said.

They went first to the postoffice to get the license. An elderly man, with a long beard, filled in the form which gave John Ward Doran, and Helmi Milander the right to be joined in the bonds of wedlock. For this the sum of five dollars had to be paid.

They asked for the Methodist minister, but found there was none. The Anglican minister was away, but the postmaster said the magistrate would be sure to be at home and he gave them directions to find his house.

It stood by itself, inside a broken picket-fence, a dishevelled, untidy little house, plainly occupied by a man alone. There were no curtains, and the blinds hung crooked, with torn edges; the steps leading to the screened-in verandah were broken, and the wire screening was bulged as if football games were often played inside.

"This looks like a rough house," said Jack, as they approached; "but never mind, Helmi, we'll get married all over again when we go to Edmonton, and in the biggest church there, with stained glass windows; and we'll have a car full of flowers, and bridesmaids and wedding-cake, and 'ere comes the bride," and everything. But in the meantime, if this old boy is sober, we will get enough of the law on our side to go on with."

The magistrate, J. Edgerton Blackwood, late of Stoke-Poges, opened the door. His manner registered deep annoyance, his appearance suggested fatigue. A soiled collar, held only by the back stud, flared faintly from his neck, and the condition of his shirt gave evidence that there had been some disappointment over his last week's laundry. Tufts of hair, like small brushes, grew out of his ears; his eyes were bloodshot, his voice hoarse. Indeed, Mr. Blackwood looked and felt much like a dog that has barked all night.

"What the h— do you want?" he asked, when he opened the door. The words, though ungracious, were spoken in the well modulated tone of the cultured Englishman—the voice that one hears in the most remote and most unexpected corners of the earth.

Jack paused a moment before replying. "Are you a Justice of the Peace," he asked in surprise.

"I'm everything, damn it! I keep the pound, am clerk of the township, do book-keeping for the storekeepers here, and play poker. What can I do for you?"

"We want to get married," said Jack, smiling. No one could quarrel with Jack Doran on this day of days. He felt Helmi's hand tighten on his arm, and noticed she was pale and frightened, but Jack had no feeling save pity for this dirty and disgruntled old man.

"Come in," said the Worship, at length, "come in and sit down." He left them to solve the problem of sitting down as best they might. Every chair carried its own burden of clothing, papers, cooking utensils, and other bric-a-brac. A horse-collar occupied one; a pair of rubber boots another. A square red stove stood in the middle of the floor, its damper hanging drunkenly from one corner; ashes from its end door had dropped down and were trampled over the floor. A tumbled bed, visible through the open door of the room adjoining, gave the impression that Mr. Blackwood had but recently left it. The table in the room was full of dirty dishes and empty bottles.

Something prompted the Magistrate to apologize.

"There's a flock of women here, but

## WAS SO NERVOUS and SHORT OF BREATH COULD HARDLY SLEEP

Mrs. Louise Raglin, Golden Lake, Ont., writes:—"For several years I was greatly troubled with my heart. I was so nervous and short of breath I could hardly sleep at night, and if I did sleep for a while I had bad dreams."

"I managed to keep at my work, somehow, until I began to have dizzy spells which got so bad I had to give up. I used many kinds of medicine, but found no help until I got a box of

After the first box I found a great change, and after two boxes I was as well as I could be."

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they're too damned independent to do a day's work since the miners opened. I would like to see them slowly starving and freezing to death. Damned foreigners that they are, who never should have been let come into a white man's country, anyway. Bohunks and Finns."

(To Be Continued.)

## Wireless Beacons For 'Planes

Machine Will Indicate Course By Strength Of Signals

Wireless lighthouses, or beacons, have been erected by Trinity House round the British coast to assist vessels in taking bearings in foggy weather, but the United States is showing the way with an ambitious system of wireless beacons to assist aircraft.

There are in the United States twelve private aviation companies who have flown 766,251 miles in the last three months, regularly transporting mails and passengers over 8,000 miles of air routes. It is planned to establish a network of wireless beacons at intervals of 200 miles along these airways.

The directive properties of the frame aerial will be employed and the transmitter will have two aerials erected at right-angles to each other, each radiating signals in the direction in which it points.

An aeroplane flying along a line of equal distance between two transmitters will receive audible signals of equal strength from each transmitter, but when turning in its course to left or right it receives one signal of greater intensity than the other.

These signals can be received on an ordinary receiving set, no special direction-finding apparatus being necessary. The aeroplane will therefore "ride on a slender ray of directed wireless."

## A World Famous Figure

Captain Gordon Campbell, V.C. Commanded "Mystery Ship" During War

It is understood that the regulations now governing retirement will shortly lop off from active list of the Royal Navy several well-known captains who did distinguished service in the Great War. Among these, it is reported, will be Captain Gordon Campbell, the famous Mystery Ship, V.C. Captain Campbell was a lieutenant-commander in 1914. Before the war ended he had become a captain, V.C., and a world-famous figure. The Mystery Ship or "Q" ship as it was officially called, practically originated with him, and his fights and narrow escapes with submarines were frequent and most thrilling.

The "Q" ship was a fighting vessel disguised to look like a tramp, and carried a naval crew dressed in keeping with the supposed character of their ship. Captain Campbell is credited with having lost one ship in a scrap with a submarine and having been back at sea in another ship hunting U-boats before daylight.

## Fruits On the Prairies

Great Variety Of Home Grown Fruits Found On Prairie Farms

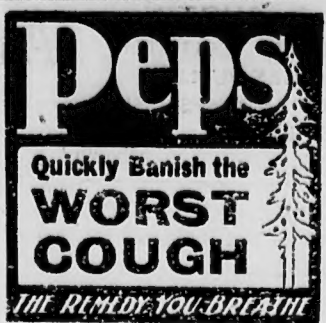
An inspection of 3,812 farms in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta made in 1927, showed that 3,411 had good vegetable gardens; 1,258 were growing small fruits; 379 had ornamental shrubs; 265 were testing standard apple trees and 213 were growing plums. Twenty years ago the number of prairie farms with pretentious flower and vegetable gardens was small and little attempt was made to grow fruits. Now a great variety of home-grown fruits is common to the prairie farm home menu, while vegetables of a wide variety grow to perfection. For two years in succession a Manitoba farmer has won the cauliflower championship at the American Vegetable Growers Association annual show.

A Scotch countryman entered a store with the view of purchasing something for his sweetheart. The salesman suggested an umbrella, a pair of stockings or possibly "something for her neck."

"The very thing," responded the countryman. "A cake of soap."

In excavating the third wall of the city of Jerusalem a stone ball shot from a catapult during the Roman siege was found.

Milard's Liniment for Rheumatism.



## Little Helps For This Week

Even so, Father: for so, it seemed good in Thy sight."—Matthew xi. 26.

For naught can come as naught hath been.

But what my Father hath foreseen. And what shall work my good. Whatever He gives me I will take. Whatever He chooses I will make.

My choice with thankful mood. —Paul Flemming.

If God gives us much, we are bound to be thankful and use it for Him. If He gives us but little, we are bound to be content and cheerfully to enjoy Him in it. —Matthew Henry.

## THIN, WATERY BLOOD ALWAYS DANGEROUS

If Not Corrected Serious Results Sure To Follow

In no trouble is delay neglected more dangerous than in anaemia—thin, watery blood. It is very common in young girls and in persons who are overworked or confined within doors. It makes its approach in so stealthy a manner that it is often well developed before the trouble is recognized.

But taken in time the tonic treatment through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, so enriches the blood that good health and strength is speedily regained. The correction of anaemic conditions by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is as certain as anything can be. Miss Teresa Heafey, Dunroven, Que., is one of the many anaemic sufferers who has found new health through the use of this medicine. She says:—"I cannot express too warmly my thanks for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me. I was suffering from a badly run-down condition. I was very nervous, had little desire for food, and would feel tired out at the least exertion. In this condition I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and before using them very long found my health gradually improving, and under their continued use was completely restored. For this reason I earnestly advise all weak girls to take these pills, feeling sure that they will do for others what they did for me."

Send your name and address to The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and they will mail you free a useful little book on "Building Up the Blood." The pills can be obtained through any druggist or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Sailors Preferred Jail

Sixteen sailors from India rebelled against further service on their ship when they learned that it was going to America. Arrested, they explained that they feared they would die from the cold in America. So their ship left for Norfolk, Va., and they went to jail for a month.

## Milard's Liniment for sore throat

When a henpecked man sees his wife terrified by a garden worm, he gets some idea of where he stands in the scale of creation.

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"My trouble began with a few pimples on my face and hands and soon spread all over them. The pimples were very hard, large and red, and festered and scaled over. They itched and burned so that I scratched them, which caused eruptions. My face was disfigured, and I could not put my hands in water and could hardly do my work."

"A friend advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment so I purchased some, and in about two months I was completely healed." (Signed) Miss Jennie Ducharme, 451 Olmsted St., Norwood, Mass.

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W. P. Cotton, Editor and Prop.

Anyone wishing to know the price for registered seed, for sale by the Provincial Government Cleaning and Grading Plant, at Edmonton, Alta., may inquire at the Pioneer office. A supply of Herman Trelle's wheat and oats, from which were selected the exhibits that won such high renown at the recent International Grain show at Chicago, is included in the list. The "Pioneer" is not selling any of this seed, it merely happens to have a list of the prices being asked and these are offered as a slight service to those who desire to have this information.

A programme and full details of the Provincial Seed Fair and the Convention of the Alberta Seed Growers' Association are also in our possession and will be gladly shown to anyone in the district who may be interested.

Mr. Wm. Fraser, one-time student at the Olds School of Agriculture, won fifth place with a young bull and fourteenth place with a heifer at the Toronto Winter Fair held recently. There were about four thousand head of cattle in the building.

## Auction Sale

Under instructions from the owner, Jack Johnson, I will sell by Public Auction on the N.E. section 32-31-2, west of 5th, four miles west and three miles north of Didsbury, at Spring side School, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26th, the following:

**Horses**—Team black geldings, 3 years, weight 2500; team bay geldings, rising 7 years, weight 2700; team bay mares, rising 9 and 10, weight 1400; black mare, rising 6, weight 1300; team bay geldings rising 5, weight 2600; chestnut gelding, rising 8, weight 1300; black mare rising 12, weight 1300; bay gelding rising 7, weight 1350; yearling filly rising; sucking colt; 2 thoroughbred colts, rising 3 years; child's saddle pony.

**Cattle** (28 head)—Shorthorn and Holstein. Cow, now milking; 2 cows, 3 years, milking, good one; 9 cows, 2 years, springers; 2 cows; 2-year-old steers; 1 three-year-old heifer; 4 two-year-old heifers, range stuff; 9 rising yearlings.

**Chickens**—60 Black Minorca hens.

**Pigs**—32 head of shoats, from 100 to 160 lbs.

**Machinery**—One 16-30 Hart-Parr tractor, 1925 model; 2 Massey-Harris binders, 7 and 8 feet; 3-bottom Hamilton gang, 14-inch; 18 run double disc Van Brun drill, new; 3 1/2 Bain wagon, new; 1 truck Bain, in wood; 2 bundle wagons; 2 sets of bob-sleighs; 2 good grain boxes; 1 Brantford windmill; 10-inch Maple Leaf grindstone; 12-in. Brantford grindstone; 125-lb. anvil; post drill; vise; forge; complete blacksmith outfit; complete chains; shovels; forks; etc.

**Harness**—2 heavy sets of brass-mounted breeching harness; Yankee breeching harness; 6 sets of plow harness; lot of colls, all good; good stock saddle and chaps.

**Furniture**—Beatty power washing machine; extension oak dining table, 6 chairs to match; buffet in mission oak, oak secretaire; Canada Pride range, 6-hole, good one; 6 kitchen chairs; quantities of pots, pans, dishes and all cooking utensils; brass bed complete; 6 good iron beds, complete; 4 commodes; Singer sewing machine; 3 wash tubs; steel water tank.

**Time**—Sale at 11 o'clock. Lunch at noon.

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### LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Marks spent the New Year's holiday with the former's parents in Innisfail, returning to Didsbury the beginning of the week.

On Saturday, January 7th, the Didsbury Opera House will present Clara Bow in "Get Your Man."

Under the auspices of the Order of the Eastern Star, a whist drive and dance are being given in the Opera House on Friday, January 13th at 8:30 p.m. The proceeds will be donated to the work at the hospital.

For contravening the Public Health By-law, Emil Krebs was given a fine of \$15 and \$3.50 costs or 30 days in jail, before Justice of the Peace Phillipson, on Thursday.

Miss Marian Hallman of Acadia Valley, was the guest of Miss Marguerite Johnston over the Xmas holidays.

Why is barbers, anyhow? We mean lucky ones. There oughta be a law agin' 'em, by gum?

## Obituary

Mr. Benjamin Hunsperger was born near New Dundee, Ontario, on December 10, 1829, and passed away in sleep to his eternal reward, on Thursday morning, December 21, 1927, at his late residence in Didsbury, Alta., at the age of 88 years and 12 days.

As one of the first settlers here in the Didsbury district he was well and favorably known in this community for the past quarter century or more. His long life and career as a pioneer, first in Ontario, then in Michigan, later in Kansas, and again in Alberta, was one of unusual interest.

After spending his childhood in young manhood in Ontario at the place of his birth, where he also joined heart and hand in holy matrimony with Miss Ester Fish in 1866, he then moved to Michigan in 1871 with wife and four children. Here they pioneered in the Michigan woods for some years. Then a second move was made from the state of Michigan to Kansas, remaining there until the year 1899. At this time, with several more children in the family circle, they "set sail" for Western Canada, landing in Sunny Alberta, at Didsbury, 28 years ago. Here they remained up to the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunsperger celebrated their golden wedding 17 years ago and more noteworthy yet, because of advancing years, was their 67th wedding anniversary, which they celebrated last July—both enjoying more than the average good health.

Nine children were born to them. Two sons preceded the father in death. Those surviving are the sorrowing widow, 86 years of age; five daughters, Mrs. Isaac Levagood, of Westcott, Alta.; Mrs. Dockstader, Marian, Kan.; Mrs. W. White, Chilli-wack, B.C.; Mrs. T. Murphy, Westcott, Alta.; and Mrs. O. Veber, Didsbury, Alta.; and two sons, Edwin in Oregon and Owen in Kansas. Also 24 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

The funeral service was held in the Evangelical Church on Saturday afternoon, December 21st, in charge of the pastor, Rev. H. E. Koppel. Rev. C. Hallman of the Mennonite Church was also present and assisted in the preliminaries of the service. Interment took place in the Didsbury cemetery.

### Card of Thanks

We take this means of thanking kind friends and neighbours for assistance rendered during the illness and death of our loving husband and father.

Mrs. Ben. Hunsperger, Mrs. I. H. Levagood and family, Mrs. Lucinda Dockstader and Ethel, Mrs. T. A. Murphy and family, Mrs. Rose Weber.

Miss Vera Sexsmith attended the University of Alberta's Alumni Dance in the Palliser at New Years.

Mrs. E. C. Webster left on an extended visit to Detroit and other points in Michigan.

The special meetings now being held by the Rev. J. C. McGovern are characterized by some splendid evangelistic preaching.

Mr. John Reed, of Munson, was visiting his brother, Mr. J. M. Reed, over the New Year.

We view with growing amazement the number of guests present at the Palliser Hotel over New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillipson were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hillyard on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hacking and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clarke on Sunday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Cooper, a son, on New Year's Day 1928, at the hospital.

Mr. Wedgewood Robinson and Mr. Peter Robinson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lowrie over the week.

## 24 Years Ago

G. Siebert is kept busy hauling coal from the Ghost Pine coal mine.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, of Neapolis were visiting at Mr. Ed. Oliver's, a few days ago.

James Ferguson intends leaving for B.C. in a few days, where he will spend the winter.

Mr. Ira Paisley was summoned for fencing in a road allowance, but through some error in the drawing up of the papers, the case did not come off.

Mrs. James Ferguson has gone to visit on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Loughheed of Morlen, Man.

We understand that Mr. Isaac Loughheed has again returned from the mountains.

## 20 Years Ago

The Knights of Pythias installed a lodge in town on Wednesday night, January 9th.

Mr. G. B. Sexsmith has the honor of being first mayor of Didsbury, but little Arnold Liesemmer, son of W. G. Liesemmer, has the honor of being the first boy born in Didsbury, being just five years old.

On Monday, January 3rd, the local lodge of Canadian Order of Foresters held their public installation of officers at Fraternity Hall.

A. R. Roth & Son have purchased the furniture and undertaking business formerly conducted by Stader & Co.

Dr. Reid and his wife returned from the east on Tuesday last.

## 15 Years Ago

Didsbury Senior Hockey made their debut on Christmas afternoon when they played Red Deer. The visiting team was trimmed to the tune of 7 to 2.

Mr. J. E. Stauffer, M.P.P., and Mrs. Stauffer, spent the holidays in Lethbridge.

Mayor Atkins and Mrs. Atkins entertained the Council of 1911 at a dinner at their residence on New Year's night.

The concert given by the Didsbury Silver Band on Tuesday night was well patronized, but the program rendered was greatly appreciated by those present.

## 10 Years Ago

Mr. L. Wood, of Battleford, and Misses Alma Wood and P. Grant, of Calgary, spent Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Evans.

Mrs. Pirie Barnes returned home on Wednesday from the Calgary hospital.

The Red Cross rooms for this Friday will be in charge of Mrs. Buknell, Mrs. Deadrick and Mrs. Durrer.

Arden and John Deadrick left on Saturday last for Central Minnesota to visit their uncle.

## 5 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. John Reiber, of Olds, and Mr. Harold Reiber, of Three Hills, were holiday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Reiber.

Mr. Lerne Good was visiting with his parents through the holidays.

Miss Kerr, of Stavely, spent a few days in Didsbury last week renewing old acquaintances.

Miss O. Zimmerman, of Calgary, was a Christmas visitor with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Zimmerman.

Mr. W. J. Derby, manager of the Crystal Dairy in town, who has been visiting in the east, returned home with his bride on Saturday.

Mr. Harvey Raymer, of Vancouver, was a business visitor in town this week.

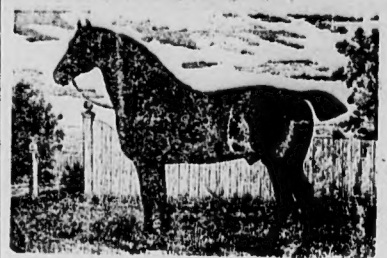
Mrs. W. M. Taylor, matron of the Didsbury General Hospital, left on January 5th to take over the Municipal Hospital at Provost, Alta.

### A FINANCIAL WIZARD

Gentleman—What would you do with a nickel if I gave you one?

Hobo (sarcastically)—Get a new suit, mister, an' some supper, an' a night's lodgin' an' breakfast an' dinner tomorrow.

Gentleman—My good fellow, here's a quarter. Go and support yourself for the rest of your life.



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### REIST—SNYDER

A quiet and pretty wedding was solemnized at high noon on Christmas Day, in the Mennonite parsonage, when Miss Alice Reist, sixth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Reist, was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Maynard Snyder, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Snyder of Carstairs.

The lovely bride was delightfully gowned in a creation of rosewood crepe and was supported by her sister, Miss Rebecca Reist, who was very becomingly attired in blue velvet.

The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Mr. Maynard Snyder, who officiated as the best man.

After the wedding, the happy couple sat down to a delightful and fine wedding luncheon prepared in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Reist, immediate relatives of the bride.

After the luncheon the young couple left for Calgary where a short honeymoon was spent and they returned to Didsbury on Tuesday. The same afternoon, a reception was held for them in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Reist.

Owing to the cold weather, there were but a fair number present in the lovely rooms which were tastefully decorated in pink and white and with wedding bells hanging overhead. At the dainty supper the huge three-tiered wedding cake was the centre attraction, while the lovely bride capably managed the cutting of the same.

A distinguished feature of the wedding was the beautiful and varied presents showered on the fortunate couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder will be at home to their friends on their farm in Waterloo district.







## United Grain Growers, Limited Twenty-Year 5% First Mortgage Bonds Due January 2nd, 1948

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## Britain Forges Ahead

Those prophets of gloom who have been predicting the rapid decline of British power and prestige throughout the world, and those with whom the wish for such a catastrophe has been the father of the thought, must surely be beginning to realize that they will have to revise their opinions and recall their predictions. For evidence accumulates, and fact is being piled upon fact, which go to demonstrate the virility, prestige and power of the Old Land and the Empire as a whole.

Notwithstanding the fact that Germany was particularly bitter against Britain for entering the world war, and sung its hymn of hate because it realized that the British entry into the conflict spelled defeat for Germany, it is a fact today that a more friendly feeling exists in Germany towards Britain than is entertained for any other nation which was allied against her.

For a time the anti-foreign feeling in China was interpreted as being largely an anti-British feeling, for the cultivation of which Soviet Russia was largely responsible. But the inevitable reaction has now set in as the true designs of Russia and the true nature of British policy is becoming disclosed and understood.

At the meeting of the Institute of Pacific Relations held at Honolulu last July, Sir Frederick Whyte, chief unofficial spokesman for Great Britain, presented a memorandum on the history of Anglo-Chinese relations from the time of Lord Macartney's mission in 1783 down to the famous communication of Sir Austen Chamberlain of a year ago. This memorandum dealt fairly with the mistakes made by both nations, and it demonstrated from the past acts of Great Britain that the conciliatory attitude of Sir Austen Chamberlain's document was the logical outcome of those acts.

It is interesting to recall at this time, when the Nationalists of China are breaking off diplomatic relations with Soviet Russia, the manner in which Sir Frederick Whyte's memorandum was received by the Chinese Nationalist delegates at the Honolulu meeting. These delegates had distributed in advance a printed case against Great Britain, which was replete with sharp strictures on British foreign policy. But when Sir Frederick presented the other side, so impressed were the Chinese delegates by its fairness and by the British point of view that they withdrew their own document and asked for the return of the copies distributed. This is hardly a sign of British decadence in world affairs, or an evidence of loss of prestige. The fact that anti-British feeling in China is gradually dying down is the result.

Surely and steadily Great Britain is regaining her position as the financial centre of the world. The pound sterling has returned to par, even in New York, and the flow of gold, which has been almost continuous to the United States for some years past, has recently had an offset in the first gold shipment from New York to London. Great Britain continues promptly on due date to make her enormous payments to the United States on account of war obligations, and with every payment made her position becomes stronger.

British financial institutions and industrial concerns are more and more regaining their position in world markets, and whereas during the war British investments and securities in foreign lands and in the overseas Dominions had to be withdrawn in order to carry on the grim struggle, British investors are again active throughout the world.

As carriers of the commerce of the world, and the great commercial clearing house for all nations, Britain remains supreme. In ship building, despite all the efforts of other nations, Britain retains the leadership by a wide margin.

And to this general improvement in position the overseas Dominions of the Empire, led by Canada, are contributing an ever increasing share.

## Prince Of Gypsies Buried In Splendor

Thousands Of Delegates Attended  
Funeral In Czechoslovakia  
Dressed in medieval splendor, Hor-

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two ways at once—  
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vath, Prince of the Gypsies, has been borne to his grave in Parkany, Czechoslovakia, while thousands of Central European gypsies mourned at his bier.

His coffin was of ebony and his body dressed in rich silk brocade. In his hand was a whip to symbolize mastery over horse and wife, while at his side were wine and liquor bottles so that he might treat his old friends in Limbo.

At least a thousand delegates from Burgenland, Hungarian and Rumanian gypsy tribes attended the funeral, headed by 30 musical bands, most of them on horseback.

The thoughts of a music composer should be noteworthy.

## Titled Taxi Drivers

Many Russian Nobility Are Chauffeurs In Paris

There was a time when the Paris taxi drivers were simply bachelors of art and candidates in philosophy. This has all changed. They are now Counts, Dukes, Marquises, Colonels and Generals. The Russians have aristocratized them. But there are also many genuine Russians among them. They may be picked out by their gracious manners, their broad smiles, their ignorance of the city map, and I believe they swear by St. Anastasia instead of a real Gallic Saint. Indignant Vox Populists have written to the papers recently that these Russian ex-Grand Dukes and Caucasian Hetmans are not only ignorant of the Paris labyrinth, but that they refuse to learn their geography. One lady reports that the driver took her for a long ride, altogether out of the direction of the address she had given, and persisted in looking around at his charge with a broad smile. As he kept up a brisk pace and a brisk pace in Paris means something she did not venture to jump out. Finally they were halted by a signal at a crossing. The lady called a gendarme, "What do you mean?" asked the latter of the chauffeur. "Don't you know the streets?" "Sir," replied the ex-Colonel or ex-General, "your Commander-in-Chief has never sent me the plans. How can I advance without maps?" A phrase reminiscent of the Russian front, perhaps.

Miller's Worm Powders will drive worms from the system without injury to the child. The powders are so easy to take that the most delicate stomach can assimilate them and welcome them as speedy easers of pain, because they promptly remove the worms that cause the pain, and thus the suffering of the child is relieved. With so sterling a remedy at hand no child should suffer an hour from worms.

## A Paying Occupation

Picking boll weevils off of cotton sometimes is more lucrative than picking the cotton itself. J. R. O. Lindsey, Richmond, Va., recently shipped 72,000 of the pests to the Florida State Agricultural College at \$2.50 a thousand. At that rate a fast picker could earn \$10 a day.

The Proven Asthma Remedy. Since asthma existed there has been no lack of much heralded remedies, but they have proved short lived and worthless. The ever-growing reputation of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has given it a place in the field of medicine which no other can approach. It has never been pushed by sensational methods, but has simply gone on effecting relief and making new converts.

## The Wonder Of Dry Ice

New Product Evaporates Slowly and Leaves No Liquid

In a recent electrical exposition in New York, a castle was shown made of dry ice. One of the wonders of the new product is that it does not leave any liquid as it slowly evaporates. It is solid carbon dioxide which has been frozen to a temperature of 109 degrees below zero.

The principal use of dry ice is for the refrigeration of perishable foods in transit. This may be a plate of ice cream which the housewife is carrying home from the store, or a refrigerator car of fruit speeding from the west coast of Ontario.

To carry home the ice cream, the plate package of the cream is placed in a slightly larger paper package which permits a piece of dry ice to lie against the package of cream. On arriving home the housewife can leave the package of cream standing on a table for six hours because the dry ice lasts that long.

Next summer on those hot days you can carry a piece around in your pocket and keep cool.

## A Wish For Lindbergh

The youth of a country might be worse employed than in admiring the Lindbergh type of character. Canadians share with Americans the hope and prayer that Lindbergh may come safely to the end of his every aerial flight and live in health, joy and wealth, to die in bed at a great old age.

London has a tipless hotel. Patrons are firmly but courteously notified that it is against the rules of the hotel to offer tips. The servants are well paid, and reservations at this hostelry are always at a premium.

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## Smelter Doing Big Business

Plant At Trail, B.C., Pays \$1,000 Per Hour In Wages

Some interesting figures in connection with the plant operated by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company at Trail, B.C., have been made public by W. E. Payne, secretary of the Vancouver Board of Trade, following a recent visit into the interior.

The smelter has a capacity of 750 tons of refined metals per day, and it is the largest metallurgical plant in the world.

The lead output is 410 tons daily, or one-tenth of the world's entire output.

The copper output runs 70 tons daily.

During the past year the plant has required 5,000 tons of construction steel, 3,500,000 bricks, 4,500,000 feet of lumber, one carload of cement every two days, 118,000 tons of coal per year and 62,400 tons of coke per year.

The freight bill last year was \$3,600,000, or 1 per cent of the total freight paid in Canada.

Eight million dollars were paid out in wages, or approximately \$1,000 per hour. Added to this the cost of supplies would bring the expenditure to almost \$3,000 per hour.

Last year the company earned profits of approximately \$14,000,000.

## Wooden Railway Cars

It has been shown that all the deaths in the railway collision at Dockrill occurred in a wooden coach which was crushed between two others made of steel and there is a general opinion that the practice is bad. Either wooden coaches should not be used or they should not be combined with those made of heavier material. Recent accidents have shown that wooden coaches stand little chance in accidents.

It doesn't take much of a genius to discover a scheme that won't work.

## Medical Clinics In Egypt

Government Using Modern Method To Quell Old Disease

American aid is to be enlisted to fight anti-modern plagues in Egypt, such as bilharzia.

The Egyptian Government has just come to terms with the Rockefeller Foundation for the establishment in Egypt of clinics for the treatment of intestinal and parasitic diseases. The Foundation will pay the salary of an American sanitary engineer, who will be provided by the Egyptian Government with a staff, offices and accessories, and the Government will exempt from customs dues all imports from the United States required in the prosecution of the work.

## A PERFECT MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

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In Every Home Where  
There Are Children

The perfect medicine for little ones is found in Baby's Own Tablets. They are a gentle but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach; drive out constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and promote healthful refreshing sleep. It is impossible for Baby's Own Tablets to harm even the new-born babe, as they are absolutely guaranteed free from opiate or any other injurious drug.

Concerning the Tablets, Mrs. Alex. J. Perry, Atlantic, N.S., writes: "I always keep Baby's Own Tablets in the house for the children, as I have found them a perfect medicine for little ones."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) indicating Bayer Manufacture. While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer manufacture, to assure the public against imitations, the Tablets will be stamped with their "Bayer Cross" trademark.



## MANY BRITISH SETTLERS COMING TO CANADA SOON

Ottawa.—The coming to Ottawa next month of Hon. L. C. Amery, Dominion Secretary of the British Government, probably will lead to a final determination of a large program of British migration to Canada. It was privately submitted to the British authorities some months ago but the decision was deferred until Mr. Amery had an opportunity of looking personally into the matter and securing first-hand information.

Considerable reticence is maintained here as to details pending a formal discussion of the question, but the plan is known to contemplate an elaboration of the family settlement scheme by which, at the end of this year 3,000 families will have migrated. In the original period set, only 2,500 families came and hence the agreement was extended to cover the balance.

The new plan, however, will be different and generally speaking, it approved, will look to the establishment of groups or colonies of British settlers in parts of the country where the opportunities are considered most promising. While the movement would not be directed to unsettled localities, it would be designed to involve considerable pioneering, similar to that accomplished by British colonies in the early stages of Western development in the nineties. A feature of the plan would be that which would provide for expert supervision by experienced people of the location of the groups and for assistance to them in the problems connected with absorption into Canadian life. The plan would be worked out on a basis of co-operative contribution by the British and Canadian Governments.

It is stated that the success of the Empire settlement plan, confined largely to soldier lands, having been demonstrated the new scheme, if given effect will eventually lead to the migration of as many as 20,000 families.

### Instruct Future Citizens

Arrangements Being Made For Study Of League Aims In Canadian Schools

Geneva.—Canada is instructing her future citizens in the aims of the League of Nations.

Ottawa informed the League that Manitoba had prepared a special chapter on the League which will be included in school readers and has adopted regulations requiring all students of the tenth grade in secondary schools to study a special pamphlet drawn up by the Canadian League of Nations Society.

The Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan has made arrangements for study of the League in schools in that province, and Ottawa has called the attention of all provincial governments to the importance of teaching the doctrines of the League.

### Honoring Mrs. Lindbergh

Will Receive Gold Medal From Detroit Board Of Education

Detroit, Mich.—The Detroit Board of Education has voted to confer a gold medal of honor upon Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh "in recognition of the great value to this nation and the public school system of the qualities of motherhood she has exhibited."

This and her qualities of "patriotism, loyalty, valor, heroism, courage, efficiency and the pursuit of the better and higher things in life" were cited by the board in adopting a resolution to confer the medal.

### Plans Flight Over North Pole

Ottawa.—An Italian explorer, General Nobile, wants to fly over the North Pole next summer and Dr. Bonardelli, Italian consul here has been asked to secure from the Canadian Government maps and other data. Not much has been learned of the project apart from the fact that it is for scientific purposes. The flight would be in a dirigible.

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### To Fly Over London

Canadian Farmers To See World's Metropolis From the Air

London.—A unique sight-seeing tour has been arranged for the 125 Canadian farmers who are coming to England in January with the Canadian National Railways' Farmers Marketing Party. In addition to seeing London as the average man sees it—obtaining a worm's-eye view from underground and a normal view from the top of a "bus"—the visitors will see London as the birds see it, from the cabin of one of the most up-to-date air liners of the Imperial Airways, Limited.

As many of the Canadian farmers as desire to do so will be taken for a 20-minute "joy-ride" over London and down the Thames. Should a sufficient number signify their intention of taking to the air, two or even three of the latest "Silver Wing" passenger planes "de luxe" will be brought into service to cruise over London together. These air liners are the last word in aeroplane construction, carry 18 passengers, and are equipped with buffet and easy chairs with a steward in attendance.

The flight will be made from Croydon Aerodrome, today known as Britain's premier air-port, where passenger aeroplanes take off daily for Paris, Amsterdam and other points on the Continent. Here the visitors will be conducted through the hangars by competent guides who will explain to them the various types of machines used in modern air travel.

### Famine In China

Four Million In Shantung Facing Direst Extremity

Peking.—At least 4,000,000 in the province of Shantung and part of Chihli are facing extreme famine, which must be expected to become more severe as winter progresses, a committee of observers has reported.

The report grew out of the Chinese international famine relief commission's appeal to the Red Cross for aid and the request of the Red Cross for more exact information.

A survey was then compiled by competent foreign authorities and observers.

Thousands in Shantung were found already subsisting on bark of trees, chaff and grass.

While the Chinese famine relief blamed the drought and locusts, the committee thought that "civil war, banditry and exorbitant taxation" were also equally to blame for Shantung's plight.

The peak of suffering was said not to have been reached yet. It will grow more intense from the Chinese New Year, January 23, until spring.

### Gives Brain To Science

Noted Russian Scientist Bequeathes Brain To Noted Collection

Moscow.—"The brain pantheon," founded by Prof. Vladimir Bechtereff, noted Russian psychiatrist, to study the source of talent and genius, will shortly have a fourth brain added to the three already preserved—that of Prof. Bechtereff himself.

The noted scientist, who has been devoting much time in recent months to organizing the brain pantheon which had been approved by the Soviet Government, died recently from paralysis of the heart after an extremely short illness. News of his death shocked the Russian scientific world deeply. Prof. Bechtereff willed his brain for scientific study.

The brains already in the collection are those of Anton Rubinstein, the famous pianist and composer, Demitri Mendeloff, naturalist and chemist, and Alexander Kohni, writer.

### Soldiers Frozen To Death

Belgrade, Jugoslavia.—Clutching their rifles and in perfect marching order, the dead bodies of 17 soldiers, frozen in the cold wave a week ago, were discovered when the snow melted along the railway to Nish. Huge snowdrifts had prevented a search for them before.

### Is Victim Of Pneumonia

Calgary, Alta.—Garfield "Garry" Graham, manager of the Calgary branch of the Barber-Edis, Limited member of the Calgary Rotary Club and prominent mason, died in the Holy Cross Hospital here, after an illness which began nearly five weeks ago with an attack of pneumonia.

### Had Long Military Career



Lieutenant-General Sir Edwin Alderson, commander of the Canadian troops in the great war, who died in London recently. He won many decorations during a long military career. Sir Edwin was the author of several volumes.

### Extols Work Of League

No Other Power Could Settle Polish-Lithuania Dispute Says Senator Dandurand

New York.—No power on earth except the League of Nations could have effected a settlement of the differences between Poland and Lithuania this year, in the opinion of Senator Raoul Dandurand, Canada's representative on the council.

The leader of the Canadian Senate returned from Geneva on the Mauretania. Acceptance by the two countries of the supervision over distribution of troops along the border by military attaches of Great Britain, France and Italy implied a superior authority, said Senator Dandurand.

"I am strong in the conviction that outside of the League of Nations there is no power on earth which would have had the influence to impose its views and its will upon two independent nations," he added.

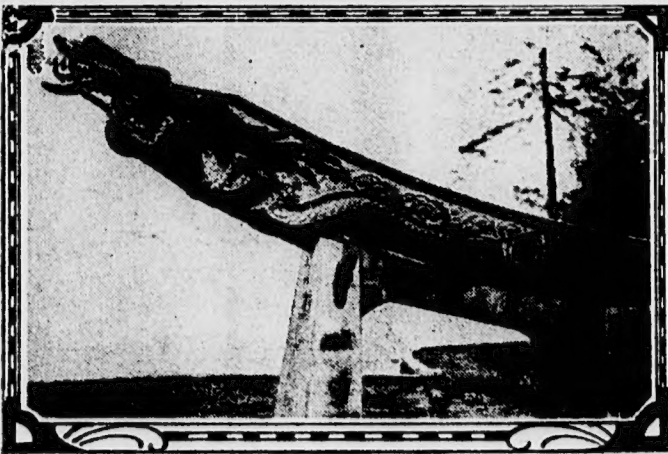
### Compensation For Lindbergh

Estimated That He Has Earned Quarter Of A Million

New York.—The New York Sun says: "Since his Paris flight it is estimated that Col. Lindbergh has earned about \$250,000. The Orteig prize was \$25,000; the profit from his book 'We,' and his newspaper articles was estimated at approximately \$200,000, and it was said that he received \$25,000 from the Guggenheim fund to finance his tour of the United States."

The Sun also says a director of one of the largest craft companies in the United States told of offering Lindbergh a job at anything he wished at any salary, and receiving this reply:

"I don't want any more money than I am worth. I won't take any job just to capitalize my name. If I should decide to work for you I want to be paid what I can actually earn. I'm not worth much, except my name, and I won't sell that."



### Relic of Pioneer Ship Mounted

The glittering figurehead of the Canadian Pacific Empress of Japan, pioneer trans-Pacific liner of the company, has been erected in Stanley Park, Vancouver, as an historic relic of the port.

The Empress of Japan was put in the discard a few years ago, her place in the service being taken by the greater Empress. The Empress of Japan held, as does her successor, the trans-Pacific speed and comfort banner. This old vessel,

### Strengthen Canadian Navy

Government To Seek Authority For Purchase Of Two Modern Destroyers

Ottawa.—The Government will seek authority at the coming session of parliament for the purchase of two new modern destroyers to be delivered within three years. The new destroyers will replace the Patrician and Patriot. The Patriot and Patrician will be sold out of the Canadian navy.

Construction of the first of the new destroyers is to be commenced at once. In the meantime, arrangements have been made with the admiralty to obtain two destroyers to carry on with until the new craft are ready. They are H.M.S. Torbay and Toredor, and the Canadian Government has authorized the commencing of work forthwith at Portsmouth to recondition the vessels and bring them forward for Canadian service.

It is expected they will arrive in Canada toward the end of March.

The Torbay and Toredor were built by Thornycrofts and belong to the same group as the S class admiralty destroyers. Eight of these compose the eighth destroyer flotilla in commission on the China station. Three are in commission and two are in reserve in the Australian naval service. One is in reserve commission on the Mediterranean station.

### British Cattle Infected

Foot and Mouth Disease Breaks Out In Several Centres

London.—Twenty-six outbreaks of foot and mouth disease in six widely distributed centres of infection has necessitated declaration of a "stand still" area by the ministry of agriculture. The effect of the declaration is to prohibit movement of cattle, sheep, pigs and goats in the area without a license. The movement of them from the "stand still" area to a free area is forbidden and markets will be strictly regulated.

The "stand still" area covers practically the whole of the Midlands and part of Yorkshire and Lancashire.

### Employment Situation Improves

Ottawa.—The seasonal losses in employment recorded at the beginning of December were on a smaller scale than on the same date in any other of the last eight years except 1922, and the situation continued better than on December 1 in any previous year of the record. Statements were tabulated by the Dominion bureau of statistics from 7,276 firms employing 886,430 persons compared with 892,143 in the preceding month.

### Mexico May Buy Airplane

Washington.—Deciding upon a "distinct relaxation of the air craft or war munitions embargo against Mexico, the state department granted a license to the Mexican Government to purchase the tri-motored plane in which Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh flew from Detroit to Mexico City. The permission given to Mexico to buy the plane was the first step taken under the new policy.

## APPROPRIATION OF LARGE SUM FOR H. B. ROAD

Ottawa.—A further appropriation of several million dollars for the Hudson's Bay Railway will be included in the railway estimates at the coming session of Parliament.

The amount will not be decided until the engineers report as to the extent of the work which can be accomplished during the year, the contract for the last section of the road having been awarded.

The appropriation for the current year was \$5,100,000 and good progress has been made.

As the Canadian National Railways last session got approval of a three-year branch line program, it is not expected that much legislation will emanate from that quarter this year.

The Minister of Finance will present a bill to ratify the agreement concluded some time ago with the Canadian Northern income bond holders.

### Severe Weather In Europe

Seven People Perish From Cold In France

Paris.—Northeasterly gales with snow, which have been raging along the entire Atlantic seaboard, from Dalar to Dunkirk, have brought Europe and Africa to a realization that winter has come.

Cherbourg reported an 80-mile gale, Calais and Boulogne channel services have been interrupted and the air service between Paris and London has been entirely cancelled. Veritable mountains of mail are awaiting shipment from all French ports.

Seven lives are reported lost in France alone, mostly in the northern sections, which are buried under 15 inches of snow. Floods are threatening Rabat, Casablanca, and the Moroccan rivers are overflowing in torrents, especially the Ouergha, where Abd-el-Krim's forces fought the French in 1925, which is out of bounds, making a lake from Melmes to the sea.

In France the Seine and Marne are rising and a recurrence of the great floods of 1910 and 1921 is feared.

### Working On Mine Railway

Supplies Are Being Rushed Into The Pas District

The Pas, Man.—Engineers of the Canadian National Railways are hurrying supplies into The Pas district for an early start on the construction of its 83-mile mine track. Two of the system's locating parties, numbering 50 men, are already at work under the direction of Frank Haven, reconnaissance engineer.

At present there are between 250 and 275 men employed on the construction of the work under the direction of K. A. Ramsay, superintendent. These men are preparing right of way through muskeg country overlaying limestone rock and boulders and thickly timbered with trees of medium growth.

Cutting of the right of way starts at the ballast pit four miles from the spur and the objective for this winter is Cranberry Portage, 50 miles further on, according to H. A. Dixon, chief engineer of the western division of the Canadian National Railways.

### The Death Toll

Final Figures Show That 32 Children Lost In Quebec Fire

Quebec.—According to Rev. Mother St. Romuald, superior of the Hospice St. Charles, the death toll in the conflagration which destroyed part of the institution on December 14 cannot be greater than 32.

She added that 28 children remained to be brought back to the hospice but that definite trace of all of them had been secured. So far 30 bodies have been discovered. Reports to the effect that parts of other bodies had been found were discounted by the coroner.

At the Moisan morgue it was stated that no such discovery had been made, while the mother superior said that as far as she knew the reports were false.



# January Sales

Light Four-string Brooms  
Each 50c

China Teapots reduced from  
\$1.45, \$1.25 & 95c, to \$1.10-  
95c and 70c

All Fancy chinaware, 25 per  
cent discount

Toilet Soap, 6 for 25c; Holland herrings (in  
kegs) \$1.25; Candy, mixed, 18c lb.; Cran-  
berries, 25c per lb., 4 lbs., 95c; Jap oranges  
\$1.10 a box; Scribblers, six for 25c

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## Auction Sale

Under instructions from the owner,  
MR. F. LESER, I will sell at public  
auction the following livestock, har-  
ness, machinery, household goods  
and chattels on S.W. 13-31, at 1 mile  
south and one-half mile west of Dids-  
bury, at 1:30 p.m. on SATURDAY,  
the 14th day of JANUARY, 1928:

Team of Mares, 1 Bay Mare (3  
years, 1,200), Milk Cow (to freshen  
April), about 100 Pullets, 2 Hogs,  
Breeching Harness (extra lines), 4  
Horse Collars, Wagon with Hayrack,  
Bobsleighs, Wagonbox, McCormick  
Binder (6-ft.), John Deere Sulky  
Plow, 2 Saddles, Riding Bridle, Em-  
pire Cream Separator, 2 Lanterns, 2  
Cow Bells, 8-gal. Cream Can, Forks,  
Shovel, Wire Stretcher, Small Pump,  
Hand Grist Mill, Post Maul, Kant

Hook, some Carpenter Tools, 21-inch  
Borer, Hay Knife, Pulley, Crosscut  
Saw, 2 30-doz. Egg Crates, Grinding  
Stone, 2 Beds with Mattress, 2 Bed-  
springs, Stretcher, 2 Heaters, Cook  
Stove, Chairs, Armchairs, 3 Bed  
Rugs, Feather Beds, Pillows, Lamps,  
2 Washtubs, 10-gal. Wash Boiler,  
Sealers, Pails, Dishes, Pots, Pans, few  
Big Platters, 2 5-gal. and 2 2-gal.  
Crocks, Fish Boiler, Spoons, Knives,  
Forks, other Kitchen Utensils, Lino-  
leum, Curtains, Books, Piano, Mauser  
Rifle, Shotgun, Alarm Clock, Scales,  
Accordion, Potatoes, Vegetables.

TIME—The sale starts at 1:30 in  
the afternoon.

TERMS—All sums of \$40 and un-  
der, cash; over that amount, eight  
months' credit will be given on ap-  
proved joint bankable notes, bearing  
8 per cent interest. Four per cent off  
for cash on all amounts over \$40.

J. W. PHILLIPSON,  
Auctioneer.

## THE NEW FORD

(From "Detroit")

"The new Ford will be equipped  
with a running gear, engine, body,  
gasoline tank, radiator, and other ac-  
cessories usual to other automobiles.

"The wheels, of which there will  
be four, will be set on axles, and  
will turn around and around, forward  
or backward, depending on the choice  
and skill of the driver.

"All seats will be equipped with  
cushions of more or less softness. On  
the touring and sedan model, the rear  
seat will be placed directly behind the  
front seat. Both seats will be pro-  
tected from sun, rain, etc., by a top.

"In front of the front seat and be-  
hind the radiator will be placed a  
windshield which will serve as a bar-  
ometer. When it is raining, the wind-  
shield will become smeared with mud,  
water, etc., from passing vehicles.

"The car will be guided by a steer-  
ing wheel which will turn the car to  
the right or left, but never both ways  
at the same time.

"Entrance to the car may be ob-  
tained through doors cut somewhere  
in the body; or, if desired, by climb-  
ing over.

"The sedan and coupe model will  
be closed cars, and the touring cars  
and roadsters will be open cars.

"The engine of the car will be us-  
ual in design and equipped with gears,  
rings, pistons, cylinders, spark plugs,  
wires and other doodads.

"The car will be equipped with  
pneumatic tires, which will be placed  
over the wheels, tending to give the  
car a soft, airy, easy-riding feeling."

## Calgary Seed Fair

A creamery course of three weeks  
is being offered by the University of  
Alberta and the Department of Agri-  
culture, commencing January 4th, at  
the University. There is no tuition  
fee in connection with the course and  
it is intended for those people who  
have some practical experience in  
creamery work.

The oats that won the world's  
championship and the wheat and field  
peas that won two reserve champion-  
ship ribbons for Herman Trelle of  
Wembley at the recent Chicago Inter-  
national Hay and Grain Show will be  
on display at the Provincial Seed  
Fair that is being held in Calgary on  
January 16th to 20th. Prize winning  
exhibits from H. S. L. Strange, of  
Fenn; R. A. Weeks, of Mannville;  
P. J. Rock, of Morrin; N. S. Linden,  
of Gwynne; Nels Linden, of Wetaski-  
win; W. S. Loughhead, of Kneehill  
Valley; A. Loughhead, of Bowden;  
Hans Mayer, of Vegreville, and many  
of the exhibitors of alfalfa seed from  
the southern part of the province,  
whose samples were among the best  
shown at the International.

The President of the Edmonton  
Exhibition Association, Mr. P. W.  
Abbott, has assumed the duties  
of acting manager until after the  
Edmonton Spring Show, the late  
manager, W. J. Stark, having died.

Twenty-five thousand dollars worth  
of silver foxes have been shipped  
from ranches in the Maritime Provinces  
to the National Silver Fox Club  
at Morinville, Alta.

## Church Announcements

### Evangelical Notes

The annual S.S. reports, followed by  
election of officers for 1928 will take  
place next Sunday morning immedi-  
ately after the preaching service. A full  
attendance is requested. Come prepared  
in heart, as well as mind, for the impor-  
tant work of an election.

In compliance with a special request  
some weeks ago, the minister will deal  
with the subject of "Divine Healing" in  
his sermon next Tuesday evening.

The Junior and Intermediate League  
spent a very happy social hour at the  
parsonage on New Year's night. Besides  
having a short, spicy program and a bit  
of innocent fun, old Santa also appeared  
in the company to bid the boys and  
girls farewell for the season and wish  
them all a Happy New Year. Then the  
entire group, 20 in number, were favour-  
ed with a most delightful sleigh ride  
with Mr. Geo. Dippel acting as the safe  
and efficient teamster.

### Knox & Westcott

Westcott at 11 a.m.

Knox Church at 7:30 p.m.

Where School Is Opened and Filled,  
Church Must Follow

"If Canada is to be kept a true,  
Christian country, we must see to it  
that in every settlement there is a  
church and school," said Rev. Peter  
Bryce, D.D., former chairman of the  
Mothers' Allowances Board of Ont-  
ario, in a recent address at London,  
Ontario, as secretary of the United  
Church's Maintenance and Extension  
Fund.

Either in a political or a tax-paying  
sense, the school question is constant-  
ly before the public, but who is to  
keep the nation apprised when there  
is a neglect to provide a church  
where the people are?

Where there are children enough  
to form a school, there are surely  
adults and children needing the  
church. When Dr. Bryce goes on to  
say that in more than 900 school sec-  
tions of Saskatchewan the school bell  
rings daily but the church bell has  
never rung, he is calling attention to  
a national peril. In opening 600 new  
preaching places in the past two  
years, the United Church has been  
doing something to meet this situa-  
tion, but it is up to churchmen to  
find the men and the money to do  
more of this work of providing  
church services for communities  
where congregations have never been  
assembled for the worship of God.  
—Contributed by Rev. A. E. Hayes.

### Lutheran Church

January 8th.

St. Paul's, Westcott, 10:30 a.m., in  
English; St. John's Didsbury, 2:30 p.m.,  
in German; Sunday School, 1:30 p.m.,  
English.

Sunday's subject: "Beginning and  
growth of Christian Church." Holy  
Communion will be celebrated at West-  
cott.

Due to the extreme cold the sale of  
the Ladies' Aid of Westcott had to be  
postponed. The next meeting of the  
Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. H.  
Papki, January 11th, at 2 p.m. The  
annual meeting of St. Paul's has been  
postponed to the afternoon of Jan. 15th.

### ST. CYPRIAN'S (Church of England)

Priest-in-charge, Rev. H. Clay,  
Box 157, Olds.

First Sunday in the month—Af-  
ternoon at 3:00 p.m.

Third Sunday in month—Morn-  
ing at 11:00 a.m.

School is held every Sunday.

### EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

At the M.B.C. Church beginning Sun-  
day, January 1st, 1927. Rev. J. C.  
McGovern from Calgary will be the  
evangelist.

Come and hear this man expound the  
Word of God. All are invited. Service  
begin at 8 o'clock.

C. J. Hallman,  
Pastor.

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## MEATS

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feasts and heavy meals are over,  
many a bountiful larder is now de-  
pleted. In stocking up, good meat,  
carefully prepared and perfectly  
kept in scientific coolers, secures  
you quality above reproach. We  
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## City Meat Market

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The Consolidated Mining and  
Smelting Company of Canada, with  
head offices in Montreal, and its chief  
plant at Trail, B.C., will pay a divi-  
dend of \$3,176,381 to its shareholders  
on January 1st. This is at the rate  
of five per cent on its capitalization  
of \$12,705,525 and a bonus of \$5 a  
share for the 508,221 shares issued.  
The dividend is for the six months  
ended December 3rd. This dividend

and another of approximately equal  
size, declared by the company for the  
first half of the year, will make it  
the largest paid by any mining and  
smelting company in the Northwest,  
being at the rate of 10 per cent and  
a \$10 bonus. This company is con-  
trolled by the Canadian Pacific Rail-  
way, who own over 66 2-3 of the  
stock. The product of this company  
constitutes over one per cent of the  
total freight carried by the C.P.R.

## Auction Sale

Under instructions from the owner,  
MR. W. M. SMILEY, I will sell by pub-  
lic auction the following horses,  
cattle, harness, machinery, goods and  
chattels, on the land known as C. C.  
Rinehart Farm, 6 miles west and 2  
miles south of Didsbury, on S.E. Sec.  
1-31-3-W5, at 10 o'clock in the morn-  
ing of TUESDAY, the 17th day of  
JANUARY, 1928:

Horses—Team Black Geldings, age  
9 and 10, weight 3,200; Team Bay  
Geldings, aged 6 and 8, 3,000; Team  
Bay Mares, age 4, 2,500; Team Brown  
Mules, age 6 and 8, 2,500; 1 Brown  
Mule, aged 9, 1,400; 1 Brown Mule,  
age 6, 1,100; 1 Bay Gelding, aged,  
1,400; 1 Black Saddle Pony Gelding.

Cattle (all tested)—5 good Milch  
Cows; 1 Holstein Cow, milking, to  
freshen in May; 1 Holstein cow, mil-  
king, to freshen in May; 1 Roan Cow,  
milking, not with calf; 1 Red Cow,  
milking, to freshen in May; 1 Spotted  
Cow, milking, to freshen in May; 1  
Holstein Heifer, coming three; 1 Bull,  
2 years; 1 Calf, 2 months.

Pigs—70 Shoats, weighing from 100  
to 175 lbs.

Chickens—50 White Wyandott's.

About 50 bushels of Early Ohio  
good seed Potatoes, about 10 tons of  
good Upland Hay (if not sold before  
sale), about 250 bushels of good clean  
Barley (if not sold before sale), about  
600 bushels of good clean Oats (if  
not sold before sale).

Machinery—1 McCormick Binder,  
8-ft.; 1 16-run Hoosier Drill; 1 3-  
furrow John Deere Plow; 4-section  
Dragharrow; 1 Harrow Cart; 1 Mas-  
sey-Harris 8-ft. Disc; 1 Cockshutt  
3-ft. disc; 2 Frost-Wood Mowers; 1  
Giant Deering Mower; 1 Walking  
Plow; 2 extra heavy 34-inch Wagons;  
3-inch Weber Wagon; 124-inch Stude-  
baker Wagon; 1 Grain Tank; 2 good  
14-ft. Bundle Racks; 1 Democrat; 1  
Buggy; 1 Set 24-inch cast Cockshutt  
Bobsleighs; 1 Frost-Wood Hayrake;

Garden Cultivator; a Five-log Float  
Road Scraper.

Harness—3 Sets heavy Breeching  
Harness, 1 set Yankee Breeching, 1  
Set Lead Harness, 1 set Yankee  
Breeching Democrat Harness, 1 Sin-  
gle Driving Harness, 15 Horse Col-  
lars.

Miscellaneous—Full set of Black-  
smith tools, Forge, 130-lb. Peter  
Wright Anvil, Drill and Bits, Vise, 2  
Crowbars, 4 Axes, Straw Fork, 2  
Manure Forks, Bundle Forks, 2 Picks,  
24-inch Screwjack, number of Saws,  
One-man Crosscut Saw, set of Stocks  
and Dies, 1 Canthook, 1 set of heavy  
John Deere 7-Horse Iron Hitch,  
several sets of Field Eveners, 1  
Spring Seat, 3 sets of Wagon Double-  
trees, 1 Neckyoke, Grain Shovel,  
Tubs, Foilers, Pails, Lanterns, 1 Cole-  
man Gas Lantern, 1 D. L. No. 15  
Cream Separator, 8-gal. Cream Can,  
5-gal. Cream Can, 1,900 Gravity  
Washing Machine, 2 Oak barrels, 56  
Boards, 1x8x12 ft., 24 h.p. Grinder,  
Wheelbarrow, about 500 lbs. of  
Wood, sawed and split, 100 lbs.  
Lariat Rope, 10-ft. Stock Whip, 8-  
gal. Churn, 5 Logging Chains, set of  
Canvas for 8 ft. McCormick Binder,  
Wooden Pump, 1 Double and 2 Single  
6-inch Steel Pulleys, 22 Rifle, Gas  
Iron, Gas Lamp, Folding Ironing  
Board.

Household—1 Monarch 6-hole  
Range, 1 Jewel 6-hole Range, Kitchen  
Cabinet, 2 Kitchen Cupboards, Heater,  
2 Dining Tables, 2 Kitchen Tables,  
writing Desk, Library Table, 10  
Chair, 2 Rocking Chairs, 3  
Tables, 1 Bed, 1 Mattress, 1 Pillow,  
1 Blanket, 1 White Dresser and  
Washstand, 1 Oak Dresser, Ice  
Chest, Sewing Machine, Baby Buggy,  
Dish s of all kinds, over 100 quarts  
of Fruit of all kinds.

TIME—The sale will start at 10  
o'clock in the morning, and there will  
be a lunch at noon.

TERMS—Terms are cash.

WM. SMILEY, Owner.

CLINT REIBER, Clerk.

ARCHIE BOYCE, Auctioneer.